

Poggio al Tesoro,
`Cassiopea` Bolgheri Rosato 2025
Bolgheri, Tuscany, Italy



Grape Varieties	70% Cabernet Franc 30% Merlot
Winemaker	Christian Coco
Closure	Agglomerated Cork
ABV	13%
Acidity	5.8g/L
Wine pH	3.2
Notes	Vegetarian, Vegan, Practising Organic

PRODUCER

Poggio al Tesoro is a 70 hectare property in Bolgheri acquired in 2002 by the Allegrini family. The first vineyard they bought, Le Sondaie, is next door to Ornellaia and was previously rented by them. It is 50 hectares in size and is planted with Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon and a small amount of Vermentino.

VINEYARDS

The grapes for this wine were sourced from the 5-hectare, west-facing Le Sondaie vineyard, situated 25 metres above sea level. Soils here are deep and free draining, consisting of a mixture of clay and sandy silt with a high presence of magnesium and iron. Planting density is almost 8000 vines per hectare and the 20-year-old vines are trained using the Guyot system and spur pruned. Yields average around 63 hectolitres per hectare.

VINTAGE

The 2025 vintage experienced complex and variable climatic conditions and proved a challenge. July was unusually mild in contrast to previous years, allowing the fruit to ripen steadily, the vines to maintain vegetative balance, and for complex aromatic profiles to develop. Bolgheri's location near the sea, with the protection of the hills, was perfect in providing protection against spikes of heat, and cooler winds brought out the grapes' freshness. During the vintage, irregular rainfall totalling approximately 150 mm required targeted interventions and careful selection of the most sensitive grapes. Thanks to this precise management, the wines of the vintage express balance, freshness, structure, and aromatic complexity, faithfully reflecting the identity of the territory.

VINIFICATION

The grapes are gently pressed before fermentation begins in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks at 14/16°C for 20-25 days. The wine is aged for five months in stainless steel on fine lees with at least two months of bottle ageing before release.

TASTING NOTES

The nose has hints of flowers, blackberries, and raspberries, which open into a fresh, savoury palate and a long, lingering finish.